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**PATENT** 

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Applicant: ECCLES, Anthony Phillip

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## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

November 16, 1998

Sir:

Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal on September 16,. 1998, to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 17, 1998, of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-4, 6-15, and 17-23. Applicant respectfully petitions the Comissioner

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of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing the Appeal Brief.

The normal term for filing the Appeal Brief expires on November 16, 1998.

Applicant hereby respectfully requests a one-month extension through December 16, 1998.

Please find enclosed a check for \$55 to cover the necessary fees. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the deposit account No. 04-2219, referencing our Docket No. C-35469.

Respectfully submitted,

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